UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

United States of America

v.

Case No. 08-cr-74-01-SM

Vickie A. Worthington

ORDER

Defendant Worthington's motion to continue the final pretrial conference and trial is granted (document 13). Trial has been rescheduled for the February 2009 trial period. Defendant Worthington shall file a waiver of speedy trial rights not later than January 30, 2009. On the filing of such waiver, her continuance shall be effective.

The Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting a continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv), in that failure to grant a continuance would unreasonably deny defendant the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation taking into account the exercise of due diligence under the circumstances.

Final Pretrial Conference: February 6, 2009 at 3:30 p.m.

Jury Selection: February 18, 2009 at 9:30 a.m.

SO ORDERED.

Steven J McAuliffe

Chief Judge

January 15, 2009

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